



WB6 Sustainability Charter

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The WB6 endorsed the Sustainability Charter (Paris, July 2016) to pursue a transition towards a **low-carbon** and **climate-resilient** energy sector

The Charter is a practical tool to implement the Paris Agreement at regional level, including a set of **regulatory, policy and practical measures** in 4 priority areas:

1. Improve **energy efficiency** governance
2. Develop and implement smart support measures for **renewables**
3. Foster **climate action**
4. Increase **transparency of sustainable energy markets**

EnC Sustainable Energy Framework

1. *Creation of a regional energy market / enhance regional competition*
2. *Security of supply*
3. *Sustainability of energy systems*



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Sustainability Pillars of the Energy Community Treaty

Acquis on Energy Efficiency

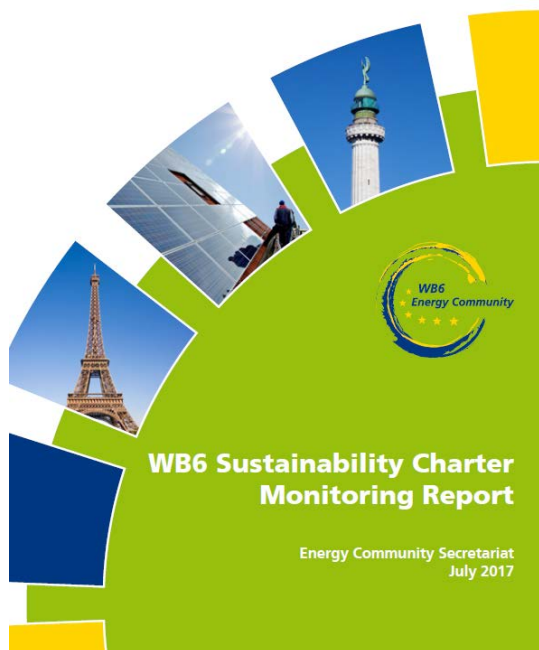
Acquis on Renewable Energy

Acquis on Environment

Acquis on Climate



WB6 Sustainability Monitoring Report, June 2017



- The EnC supports the WB6 by **monitoring** the implementation
- A **progress report** regularly published - next for **WB6 Summit (Trieste, 12 July 2017)**
- Progress** in a number of measures has been achieved by the WB6 countries



Energy Efficiency Related Measures

**PROMOTING ESCO CONTRACTS,
DEVELOPING ENERGY SERVICES
MARKETS**

June 2017

**FULLY IMPLEMENTING THE EPBD, AS A
PRE-REQUISITE FOR LARGE SCALE
BUILDINGS REHABILITATION
PROGRAMMES**

June 2017

**PROGRAMMES FOR PUBLIC AND
RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS
REHABILITATION (MIN. ENERGY
PERFORMANCE AND BEYOND,
INCREASING THE USE OF LOCAL RES)**

March 2018

**ASSESSING POSSIBILITIES FOR
DEVELOPING NEW OR CONVERTING
EXISTING DISTRICT OR CENTRAL
HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS
USING RES**

November 2018

**ANALYSING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
APPROPRIATE FINANCING
MECHANISMS, INCLUDING, IF
FEASIBLE, A STATE LEVEL EE FUND**

June 2018

**INCLUDING EE AND USE OF RES IN THE
CURRICULUM IN EDUCATION AND
OFFERING PROFESSIONAL TRAINING +
DEVELOPING NATIONAL SKILLS AND
QUALIFICATIONS**

June 2019



WB6 Sustainability Monitoring Report – EE governance

- *WB6 countries **focused on the priority measures** relevant for implementation of EPBD and EED.*
- *The **market for energy services is advancing in Serbia**, with the adoption of secondary legislation and projects tendering.*
- ***Progress in transposing the EPBD** was achieved by all WB6 countries, including the recent adoption of EPBD laws in Albania and Kosovo.*
- *The **EU grant signature of 50 million EUR** for the Regional Energy Efficiency Programme II (REEP Plus) and the Green for Growth Fund (GGF) supports building rehabilitation*
- *In addition, several WB6 countries are working on the **establishment of national energy efficiency revolving funds**.*
- *Yet more country ownership and political support is clearly needed to make full use of the existing programmes and develop national instruments for market segments like public sector, residential buildings, transport, etc.*



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I. Improve the Governance for Energy Efficiency

Removing legal and regulatory barriers through amending or developing new legislation that will enable and promote ESCO contracts, thus developing energy services markets



Fully implementing the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive, especially in area of setting minimum energy performance standards as a pre-requisite for large scale buildings rehabilitation programmes



Establishing well targeted programmes for public and residential buildings rehabilitation to the minimum energy performance and beyond, with particular focus on increasing the use of locally available renewable energy sources



Assessing in details the possibilities for developing new or converting existing district or central heating and cooling systems using renewable energy, such as biomass or geothermal



Analysing the establishment of appropriate financing mechanisms, including, if feasible, a state level fund for co-financing of energy efficiency measures in line with the Energy Efficiency Directive 2012/27/EU, especially in the public sector



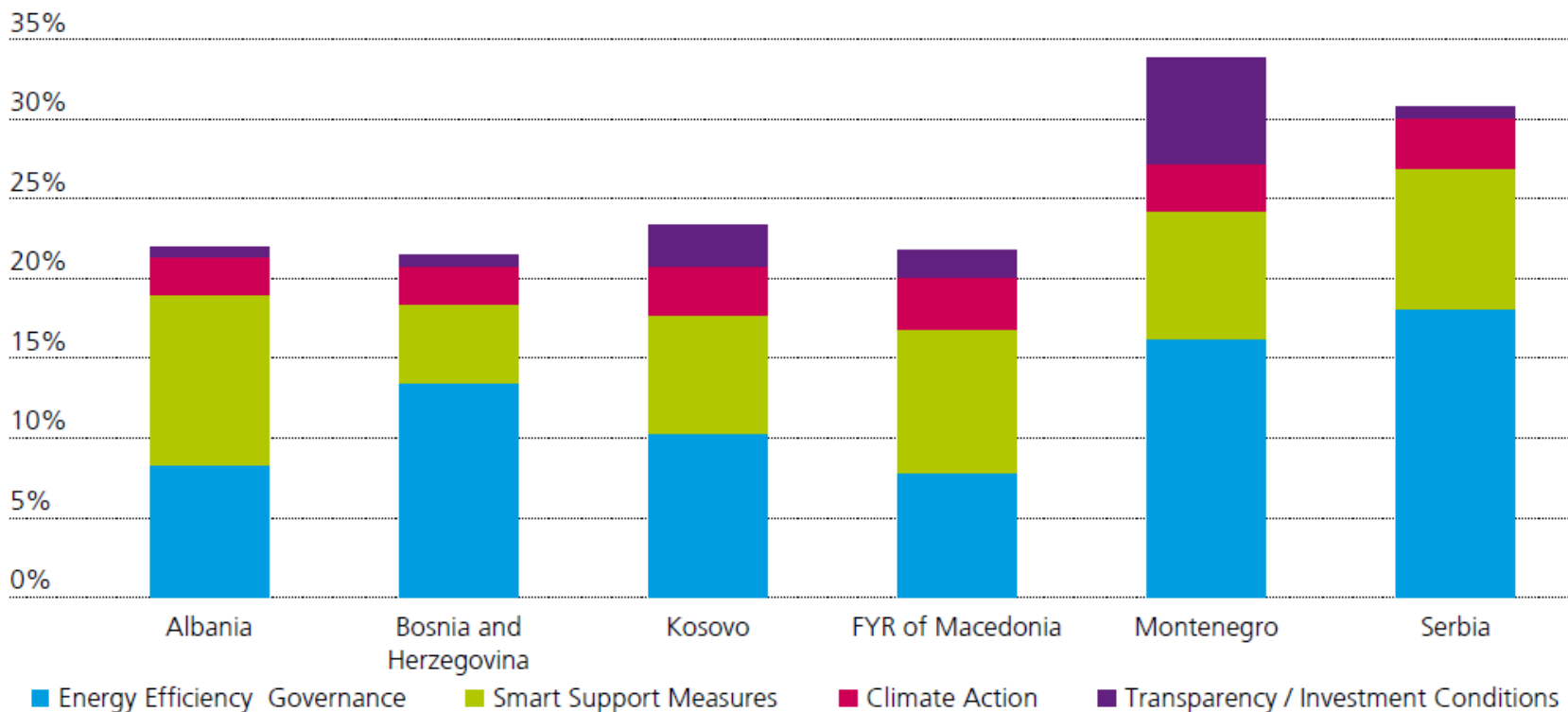
Total



■ State of Implementation before Paris Summit ■ Implementation since Paris Summit

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Overall Implementation



SUSTAINABILITY FORUM

"Clean Energy for a Sustainable Future"

Friday, 9 June 2017 – Vienna

- ❖ **Over 120 stakeholders**
- ❖ **Platform to discuss transition towards a sustainable energy pathway**
- ❖ **Forum welcomed the Energy Community's role in the climate field.**
- ❖ **MoU with EBRD strengthening cooperation in sustainability field**
- ❖ **Followed by the 1st joint meeting of ministers responsible for energy, environment and climate – Energy Community Climate Action Group!**





Thank you



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